# FRIDAY FAMILY FOCUS

MARCH 15, 2024

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Mar. 22, 23, 24 - Dinner Theater

Mar. 25 - Josten's to hand out senior cap and gown orders

March 29 - April 7 - Spring Break

April 8 - School resumes

April 10 - SAT/PSAT testing

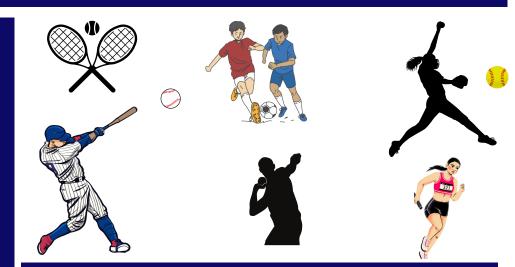
April 11 - ACT/WorkKeys

April 19 - 21 - Beauty and the Beast

April 24 - Hall of Fame

April 27 - Jr/Sr Prom

ATHLETICS SCHEDULED EVENTS LINK



Spring Sports begin next week!!!

VIKINGS ASPIRE

### **KEEPING YOU INFORMED**

The time has come! We are ready to begin taking orders for the 2024 Lakewood High School "Valhalla" yearbook. There will be no physical mailer sent out this year, so the only way to order your yearbook in advance will be to do so through this online site: <a href="https://www.balfour.com/student-info?smi=36906">LINK</a>
<a href="https://www.balfour.com/student-info?smi=36906">https://www.balfour.com/student-info?smi=36906</a>

The current price is discounted to kickstart our sales period, but that will increase after April 1. Be sure to get in on the lowest price for the 2024 LHS yearbook by placing your order right away!

If you have any questions, feel free to email us at <u>yearbookphotos@lakewoodps.org</u>.





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### VIKINGS WHO ASPIRE!

Ty Nurenberg



These VIKINGS are our Citizens Of the Week. We are proud of who they are and appreciate them as they are great people doing great things.



Mary Bierens



The LHS Staff would llike to recognize...









The staff member of the week - Mr. Hassett "I've had a rough year and Mr. Hassett has been really patient and understanding. He's always willing to work with me."

The VIRTUOUS VIKINGS would like to recognize these students for a job well done.

The VIRTUOUS VIKINGS is a group of students who want to recognize students for their ASPIRE traits and spread positivity throughout the school!

Jolee Gardner



EMPATHY

Kloe Hough

EMPATHY

Vincent Risk



VIRTUOUS: SHOWING OR HAVING EXCELLENT MORAL CHARACTER; PURE;RIGHTEOUS; VALIANT; EFFICACIOUS



### **Lakewood Public Schools** 2024-2025 Student Calendar

### <u> 2024 – August</u>

21 - First day of School 1/2 day 22-23 - 1/2 day for Students 30 - No School

### 2024 – September 2 – No School

### 2024 - October

4 – No School

### 2024 – November

13-14 - 1/2 day students 15 - No School 25-29 - No School





### 2024 - December

13 - 1/2 day students 23-31 - No School

### 2025 - January

1-3 - No School 20 - No School



### **<u>2025 – February</u>** 7-10 – No School

## 2025 - March 21 - No School



### <u> 2025 – April</u>

4-11 - No School 18 - No School

### <u> 2025 – May</u>

2 - 1/2 day students 22 - Commencement

26 - No School

### 2025 - June

4 - Last Day of School 1/2 day



Trying to plan your schedule for the 24/25 school year? This should be helpful!





NOTE: This schedule is subject to change in the event of excessive cancelations. Posted: 3/12/2024



# VIKEFLIX

2023 Lakewood HS yearbooks are here!

They may be picked up during regular school hours in the main high school office.

A limited number of extras is available for purchase beginning Tuesday, March 12.

Who's Watching?













look at

this!

# Hearback

# SENIORS

**SENIOR EVENTS** 

**MARCH 12 - SENIOR CLASS PHOTO** 

MARCH <del>15</del> 25 – JOSTEN'S HERE AT LUNCH

**MARCH 15 - PROJECT GRADUATION** 

**REGISTRATION DUE** 

**MARCH 15 - DEPARTMENTAL HONORS DUE** 

**APRIL 23 - SENIOR COOK OUT** 

**APRIL 27 - JR/SR PROM** 

**MAY 15-16 - SENIOR EXAMS** 

**MAY 17 - SENIORS LAST DAY** 

MAY 17- ALL SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

**MAY 17 - SENIOR TEA AND PAINTBALL** 

**MAY 21 - HONORS NIGHT (BY INVITATION)** 

MAY 23 - SENIOR BREAKFAST AND PRACTICE

(REQUIRED)

MAY 23 - GRADUATION CEREMONY MAY 23 - PROJECT GRADUATION



Your school counselor is here to assist you with your academic, socialemotional, and career/college plans. Stop by the office to set up a time to

meet.
Ms. Hampton - Students with Last Names A-L
email: ashleyhampton@lakewoodps.org





Mr. Warren - Students with Last Names M-Z email: mileswarren@lakewoodps.org

There are a few useful resources on our website. CLICK HERE

Parents, you have a Viking who is in their final months as a student of LHS. Please make sure you have ordered the necessary items for the graduation ceremony. We are meeting with students who need to do credit recovery. We want to get this done as soon as possible. If you have any questions about your student, please contact us.

### LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

### **Local Scholarships are LIVE!**

Seniors now have access to Goingmerry.com to complete applications for our local scholarships. This is the one-stop shop for all financial assistance to pay for college. Going Merry is where we have students complete their FAFSA (opening in December), local scholarships, and they can also find national scholarships.

### SECOND SEMESTER SCHEDULES

SENIORS LAST DAY is May 17. This means ALL classes must be completed and the student must meet the required credits to receive their diploma.

9th-11th Grade - Students must have all their work completed by May 31(this is tentative)This includes all online, dual enrollment, and in seat classes.

### **COLLEGE VISITS**



Tuesday, March 19 Army National Guard



Thursday, March 21 Michigan Construction Academy

Oakland University visit English/AP Lang class Mar. 27





LAKEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

LAKEWOOD VIKING ATHLETICS

@LAKEWOOD\_AD

PHONE: (616) 374 - 8868

7223 VELTE RD, LAKE ODESSA, MI 48849



### Mr Warren will be at the local library to help.





FAFSA Only takes about 20
Minutes! Don't Delay!!

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT                        | SUN |
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| 1   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9                          | 10  |
| 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  | Sunfield<br>9am-1pm        | 17  |
| 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | Lake Odessa<br>9am-12pm    | 24  |
| 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30<br>Woodland<br>10am-1pm | 31  |

What can you do at a FAFSA Saturday?

Get help completing your FAFSA

Get answers to questions after you submit your FAFSA

Get emotional support for coping with how stressful FAFSA has been this year Get support with picking which college to go to now that you have award letters

Get help understanding your award letters

Get advice on what to do now that you have your award letter, but didn't get enough aid to cover the cost of attendance

Come ask Mr. Warren any other questions you might have about ANYTHING!







February 28, 2024





Spring is around the corner, so we are nearing our end-of-the-year state assessments. Spring Break begins on March 29 and ends on April 5. Once we return from Spring Break, we will be administering these assessments, here are the dates for each grade level.

#### **12th Grade**

April 10 - Students will not be required to attend school. However, students who did not complete assessments last year are required to complete them this year. We have contacted the students and parents of those who need to attend.

#### 11th Grade

April 10 - Students will complete the SAT assessment. Students will be able to leave school after the completion of the assessment.

April 11 - Students will complete the ACT WorkKeys. Students will follow their class schedule after testing is complete.

April 17 - Students will complete the M-Step. This assessment will be completed in the morning and students will follow their schedules after testing is complete.

#### 10th Grade

April 10 - Students will complete the PSAT 10 assessment. Students will be able to leave school after the completion of the assessment.

#### 9th Grade

April 10 - Students will complete the PSAT 9 assessment. Students will be able to leave school after the completion of the assessment.

Students who are online learners are also required to report to the high school on these days to complete these assessments. Students must complete this assessment to help with their post-secondary plans. If you have questions, please contact us.

VIKINGS ASPIRE.

Stephen Williams

Principal



# **AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM**

Creating better study habits

Media Center - 2:15 to 3:15

We offer:

- Tutoring

Organizational Support

Study skills -Study skills



MARCH

Dates in **BLUE** are when we are available.

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### **ADJUSTED BUS ROUTES**

| March 4<br>No Panther | March 5<br>No Swan | March 6<br>No Dolphin | March 7<br>No Wolf | March 8<br>No Squirrel |
|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
|                       |                    |                       |                    |                        |
| March 11              | March 12           | March 13              | March 14           | March 15               |
| NO SCHOOL             | No Cow             | No Butterfly          | No Lizard          | No Bigfoot             |
| March 18              | March 19           | March 20              | March 21           | March 22               |
| No Panther            | No Swan            | No Dolphin            | No Wolf            | No Squirrel            |
| March 25              | March 26           | March 27              | March 28           | March 29               |
| No Fish               | No Cow             | No Butterfly          | No Lizard          | NO SCHOOL              |

Each night, we send out a text message and phone call to remind you of these bus route changes.



AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Creating better study habits

Dates in **RED** are when we are available.

APRIL

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